



ST DOMINIC'S PRIORY COLLEGE

139 Molesworth Street, North Adelaide. 5006.

BULLETIN

Diary Dates

Friday 15 April

End of Term 1

(Normal Dismissal Time)

Monday 2 May

Pupil Free Day

Tuesday 3 May

First Day of Term 2

SACPSSA Primary Athletics

Tues 10 - Thurs 12 May

NAPLAN

Wednesday 11 May

Combined Schools

Careers Night

@ Wilderness School

Monday 16 - Wednesday 18 May

Year 7 Camp

Thursday 19 May

Year 12 Geography excursion

Friday 20 May

Gala Day

Parent Teacher Interviews

Secondary (7-12)

Wednesday 4 May

Monday 9 May

2016 Term Dates

Term 2: 3 May - 8 July

Term 3: 25 July - 30 Sep

Term 4: 17 Oct - 9 Dec

UNIFORM SHOP

Thursday 14 April

10:30am - 1:30pm

School Holiday Hours

Saturday 16 April 10:30-1:30

Monday 18 April 10:30-1:30

Tuesday 19 April 10:30-1:30

Tuesday 26 April 10:30-1:30

Wednesday 27 April 10:30-1:30

Saturday 30 April 10:30-1:30

Monday 2 May 10:30-1:30



**Friday morning mass in
the Chapel 8.15am**

WEDNESDAY 13 APRIL 2016

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WEEK 11 – TERM 1

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Dear Parents,

As this Term draws to a close we are thankful that after 11 weeks it is now time for all the members of our learning and teaching community to take a break.

To you our parents I would like to offer sincere appreciation of your support for your daughter's school community here at St. Dominic's in what has been an event filled term. From the first Family Mass and across the many weeks which followed until now, so many of you have taken an active and supportive role in different ways. It has been good get to know some of our new families through having the chance to meet you on Sports Day.

Parent Teacher Night: By now Parents of students in Years 7 – 12 have all received their daughter's reports and, enclosed in the same envelope, from our Director of Administration, Mary Vugts, full details of the steps to be taken in booking your Parent Teacher interview times. The point is made very clearly that the sooner you make your booking the easier it is to secure the times which are most helpful for you.

Quý Phụ Huynh thân mến,

Xin quý vị vui lòng đăng ký thời gian cho việc trao đổi giữa quý vị và giáo viên về con em của quý vị sớm nhất có thể. Xin chân thành cảm ơn.

Careers Expo - Years 10, 11 and 12. Biennially, St. Dominic's, Wilderness and Blackfriars hold a wonderful combined Careers Night. Our schools take it in turn to host this excellent event. In 2016, May 11, the careers evening will be hosted by Wilderness School. I'd like to take the opportunity of thanking Wilderness as it is a major commitment. On our own campus the central contributor to the organisation is our Careers Coordinator, Alice Kleinig. We are hoping for good parental support as ever and the full support of all our students in Years 10, 11 and 12.

Dominican Cup: In this our Jubilee 800 Year, special events are taking place in Dominican schools and parishes around Australia. The Dominican cup is attracting students from New



Sr Jo on Pilgrimage with a Dominican Pilgrim in Florence, Italy

Zealand as well as from St. Mary's, Cabra and St. Dominic's. On the first Tuesday of Term 2, teams from these Dominican Schools will compete in Adelaide for the Dominican Cup in netball, hockey and volleyball. I'd like to acknowledge all the organisation which has gone into making this a great success and to thank the sports Department at St. Mary's and our own Sports Coordinator, Alison Hodby. More news to follow!

Dominican Pilgrimage: Best wishes have been sent from Sr. Jo Amour who has been helping to lead the pilgrimage from Australia to the lands of Dominic and Catherine of Siena. She has been an excellent blogger and one of her photos from Florence appears on this page.

Best wishes: Our Religious Education Coordinator, Mrs Concetta Sossi, is about to take leave of us for her well-deserved Long Service Leave break in Term 2. We hope you enjoy the change of pace and the chance to "do whatever you like."

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Ms Alison Hodby as she prepares for her wedding to take place these holidays.

Last but not least, special thanks to Mrs Monica Tolcay who has been with us teaching Italian classes for the past 5 weeks. You will be missed.

PS: Please note the change to **Gala Day** date, now Friday the 20th May.

Sr Jillian Havey, Principal



Primary News

from Ms. Cate O'Leary, Primary School Coordinator

As the sun sets on Term 1, 2016 we reflect on the challenges, changes and deep learning experiences that our students, your daughters have experienced over the last 11 weeks. We have had a busy term both inside and outside the classroom. The experiences have been many and varied.

WATCH THIS SPACE: As an SRC initiative the Year 3-6 SRC students and our fabulous parents: *Bec Copeland, Karen Nesgos, Sonya Muller, Daisy Chevez* and *Caterina Pileggi* have been giving the undercroft area a makeover. The bright colours and added features will make it an inviting outdoor learning environment.

It is time for the girls to rest and rejuvenate. We know they will come back with their batteries recharged and ready for a productive and exciting Term 2.



Year 5 Visit to the Migration Museum

On Thursday the 7th of April, the Year 5 class travelled to the Migration Museum in the city. We were separated into two groups and given 19th century gowns and names. The Aquinas and Siena group went into the 'Time Travelling Room' where they saw ships and were taught about colonies as well as the importance of young love in colonies. The Columba and Guzman group went to view the statue of a family in the 19th century. Both groups were then transferred into another room, but at different times, which held old hunting items and we volunteered to act out how old hunting methods were done. After this, Columba and Guzman went into a room and were given a chance to choose an olden day job and voyage on a ship to Australia. After the educational learning experience, we ventured outside to play old fashioned games such as knuckles, stick 'n' hoop and quoits. Our adventure ended with us walking back to school, stopping along the way for recess in the park.

By Siena and Tammy

In and around the classrooms:

Last week really was a week for the Year 3 girls to shine and share their hard work with the rest of the Primary School and their parents.

On Tuesday, the girls very ably and confidently shared their Harmony Day and Art Work about Piet Mondrian with the Primary School staff and students.

We were pleased with the way in which they spoke clearly and loudly and moved from one item to the next with minimal fuss and noise.

Thursday night they once again showed how capable they were when the girls guided their parents, siblings, aunts, cousins and grandparents around the Year 3 classroom and the art room, very proudly showing them their work from this term. The girls spoke at length to their families about what they had been doing, what they had learnt and what they enjoyed about each activity. It was wonderful to hear them speak with such enthusiasm and passion about their work and quite funny to see some of the girls "dragging" their parents from one display to the next as they eagerly wanted to show them everything at once!

Here are some of the comments from the girls

We were our guides showing our families around the classroom and Art room and explaining what each piece of work was about. We explained the process of making our clay animations, Piet Mondrian art pieces and time lines along with many other pieces of work. **Charlotte and Ines**

It was lots of fun being at school at night because it was really quiet. **Morgan**

My parents liked the clay animation that I made with Jessica. They watched other girls clay animations as well and thought that they were all amazing and that we're all very clever. **Linh**

Our parents were very proud of us. **Millicent**

YEAR 3

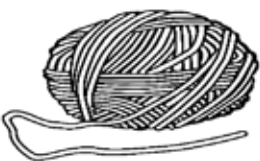


The Multi Arts Faculty is creating set decorations for Charlie

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ANY COLOUR OR PLY



AND **Bubblewrap**

gratefully received at the Front Office during school hours



Tasty Tunes

On Wednesday 6th of April the Reception to Year 5 classes welcomed two Italian ladies; 'Robyn Food', who had a beautiful singing voice, and 'Captain Nutritious'. Many girls had different but unique names for Captain Nutritious but she only liked one best: 'Healthy Heather'. They sang a song about how to make pasta as an entrée, caponata as a side dish and fruit salad as dessert. Tasty Tunes was a fun and entertaining performance. We thank Robyn Food and Healthy Heather, who came from Melbourne, for performing for us. **By Veronica and Jiya, Year 5**

Reception: On Wednesday we went to a show. The show was about Italian cooking. We did some dancing and singing with the lady. We loved it.



Year 1: When Robyn Food used the Italian word for salt, 'sale', Captain Nutrition was saying that it was 'sale' like signs in the shops. Captain Nutrition was very funny because she was wearing an old Superman costume that she had stuck an 'N' over the 'S' and used a funny voice.



Year 2: We thought that the Tasty Tunes performance was fantastic. We learnt new Italian words for different

foods: *ouva* (egg), *sale* (salt), *aqua* (water), how to eat healthily like Healthy Heather, the five food groups and how to make pasta.

Year 3: We thought that when Captain Nutrition came out she was hilarious. Robyn Food was surprised. She thought that Captain N came out of her iPad. The words to the songs were clever and the music was jazzy.



Year 9 French Film Excursion

On Monday the Year 9 French students attended a screening of "Belle et Sébastien-l'Aventure Continue" showing at the Palace Cinemas as part of the annual French Film Festival. The film is in French with English subtitles and is set in the beautiful French/Italian Alps. The French Film Festival continues until 24th April. Why not take the family to see this lovely film? *Bonnes vacances à tous!*
- Gabriella Patti-Reid & Liana Bosco

Computer and Algorithmic Thinking (CAT) Competition

This year, 68 students from Year 6 to 12 participated in this challenging competition involving 15 questions of lateral and logical thinking in just one hour. A record five students achieved a Distinction:



Cat-Thy Bui
9W



Isabella Dametto
9W



Cindy Cao
10G



Caitlyn Le
10G



Special congratulations to **Mikayla Le in Year 6**, who also scored at the highest percentile overall, 96! Well done. We hope this is an indication of a future career in Computer Science or similar.

We also congratulate the many students who fared admirably, achieving **Credit** certificates:

Alyssa DANG	6	Charlotte Boyd-Turner	7
Helen PHAM	6	Joanna HADDAD	7
Amanda TRAN	6	Lauren O'Callaghan	7
Adrienne LIMGENCO	8G	Lina TRANG	8G
Anna NGUON	8W	Vivian TRAN VU	8W
Chrishelle BULNER	9B	Jessica NGUYEN	9B
Nhung TONG	9B	Thanh-Ngan DO	9G
Marisa KARIOTOGLOU	9G	Cindy KIEU	9G
Thu VU	9G	Isabella HADDAD	9W
Taylor HUYNH	9W	Sheila NGUYEN	9W
Katie TRAN	9W	Pia DELUCA	10B
Izabella KEPES	10B	Kellie NGUYEN	10B
Jessica CHEA	10G	Quynh-Anh DINH	10G
Beatrice KELLY	10G	Minh-Chau LE	10G
Minh-Thy NGUYEN	10G	Jennifer PHAM	10G
Lily ZURCHER	10G	Phi Yen TRANG	10W
Thu-Thao VU	10W	Leanne LE	11B
Doan NGUYEN	11G	Minh LE	11W
Sarah NGUYEN	12G	Thao BUI	12W

Uniform Shop School Holiday Hours

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Check front page of the Bulletin each week for updated and confirmed times.

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SACSSGSA Athletics Carnival

This year's SACSSGSA was an event to treasure for generations to come. The 45 girls selected as this year's athletic representatives for this prestigious occasion worked admirably hard to achieve their very best in the A Grade, eventually bringing home 3rd place overall. Stand out of the day was Holly Beecham, dominating in the Open 100m championship with the time of 12.03 seconds. The whole day, the St Dominic's girls kept their spirits high, representing our school with great pride. The ecstatic atmosphere was, however, the highlight of the day. Remember SDPC does it best! - **Sophie Mueller and Christiana Teah**

Natalia BALDINO	1 st U14 Long Jump
Madeline BARONE	3 rd U16 Shot Put
Holly BEECHAM	1 st 16+ 100m, 100m Hurdles, Long Jump, 200m; 3 rd 16+ Relay
Georgia BENVENUTO	2 nd U14 Long Jump
Alana Capoccia	2 nd U14 Relay
Hannah CROWE	3 rd U15 Long Jump, 400m
Jessica CROWE	1 st U15 Shot Put
Evelyn DALY	2 nd 16+ Shot Put, Long Jump; 3 rd 16+ Relay
Simone FARRUGIA	3 rd U16 100m
Amelia GREVEN	2 nd U16 90m Hurdles
Isabella HADDAD	2 nd U14 Shot Put, U15 800m
Emma HOLMES	3 rd 16+ 100m, 200m, Relay
Hanni HOWE	2 nd U16 High Jump
Marisa KARIOTOGLOU	2 nd U14 Discus
Roan LIBREA	2 nd U14 Relay; 3 rd U14 200m
Ellen McMANUS	1 st U16 Triple Jump
Ella METCALFE	1 st U14 High Jump; 2 nd U14 Javelin, Discus
Olivia METCALFE	3 rd 16+ Discus, Javelin
Georgia MUSOLINO	3 rd 16+ Shot Put
Anna NGUON	2 nd U14 Relay
Rachel NGUON	3 rd U15 Javelin
Audrey NGUYEN	3 rd U14 80m Hurdles
Tatiana PAVLIC	2 nd U15 Discus
Chloe SAINT	3 rd U15 800m
Isabella SELLAN	2 nd U15 Javelin, High Jump; 3 rd U15 Triple Jump
Mackenzie SMITH	2 nd U14 Relay
Christiana TEAH	3 rd 16+ Relay
Bianca TONIN-PETRYSZAK	1 st U14 Shot Put; 3 rd U16 Javelin
Maddy TOTSIAKAS	3 rd U16 Discus, Shot Put
Thi VU	1 st U16 Shot Put

Results Saturday 9 April 2016

Basketball

Junior *def* SAC (31-22) FIN 5th

Senior 1 *lost* to Mercedes FIN 2nd

Senior 2 *lost* to Mercedes (11-17) FIN 6th

Tennis

Junior 1 *drew* Mary Mackillop (23) Equal 5th

Junior 2 *def* SAC 2 (23-21) FIN 3rd

Senior *lost* to SAC 1 (5-6) FIN 2nd

Touch Football

Junior *def* Loreto (4-0) FIN PREMIERS

Senior 1 vs Loreto FIN 2nd

Senior 2 *had* a BYE FIN 5th

Volleyball

Junior 1 *def* SAC (2-1) FIN PREMIERS

Junior 2 *lost* to Nazareth (1-2) FIN 4th

Junior 3 vs SAC 4 5th vs 6th

Senior 1 *def* Marryatville 4 (3-0) FIN 3rd

Senior 2 *lost* to Mary Mackillop 2 (1-3) FIN 6th

Water Polo

Year 11/12 vs St Aloysius FIN 2nd



Sports / Special Group Photographs

Online Ordering Information

Academy Photography will be photographing Sports / Special Group Photographs on **Thursday 14 April 2016**

Photos from this day can be viewed and ordered over the internet.

To access photos online, please visit: www.academyphoto.com.au then go to "Online Ordering" and enter this 8 digit shoot key:

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Photos can be viewed from **Thursday 5 May** and will be available for 3 months (02) 8240 8100



Year 7-12 Parent Teacher Interviews
Wednesday 4th May • in the Gym
 (2:00pm – 6:00pm, then 6:30pm – 8:00pm)

Monday 9th May • in the Gym
 (3:50pm – 6:00pm, then 6:30pm – 8:00pm)
 please book for the 9th if you require an interpreter


A letter explaining the booking procedure and including your booking code has been sent home with the Term 1 report.

The internet based booking system is open now and will close 5:00pm Monday 2 May. No other bookings, for either night, will be taken after this date.

Get in early to secure your interviews, or you may miss out!
www.edval.com.au/book

Have you got an interesting job?

In 2016, the biennial **Careers Expo** will be hosted by Wilderness School on the evening of Wednesday, May 11. We are calling on professionals from a diverse cross section of industries to spend a few hours talking **1:1 with Year 10-12 students from St. Dominic's, Blackfriars and Wilderness.** Please contact Alice Kleinig: akleinig@stdominics.sa.edu.au if you would like to be involved.



Year 10-12

Careers Education

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Signed: Date: / / 16